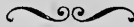




**ANNUAL REPORT**  
**OF THE TOWN OF**  
**HENNIKER**  
**NEW HAMPSHIRE**



**For the Year Ending**  
**DECEMBER 31**  
**NINETEEN FORTY-EIGHT**





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**OF THE OFFICERS OF THE**

# **Town of Henniker**

**NEW HAMPSHIRE**

**FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1948**

**AND THE**

**VITAL STATISTICS FOR 1948**



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TOWN OFFICERS

*Representative to the General Court*

LESTER E. CONNOR

*Moderator*

JAMES W. DOON

*Selectmen and Overseers of Poor*

FRED T. CONNOR	Term Expires 1949
CLARENCE L. FITCH	Term Expires 1950
STEPHEN C. BENNETT	Term Expires 1951

*Town Clerk and Tax Collector*

CHARLES H. TUCKER

*Town Treasurer*

WILLIAM L. CHILDS

*Highway Agent*

OLIVER N. PARKER

*Supervisors of Checklist*

FRED A. PEASLEE	ALICE V. FLANDERS
PRESCOTT S. FARRAR	

*Health Officer and Meat Inspector*

WILLIAM H. CARR

*Water Commissioners*

OLIVER D. DANIELS	Term Expires 1949
CLARENCE W. EDMUNDS	Term Expires 1950
WILLIAM H. CARR	Term Expires 1951

*Trustees of Tucker Free Library*

ALFRED L. FRENCH	Term Expires 1949
DIAMOND A. MAXWELL	Term Expires 1949
HARRY B. PRESTON	Term Expires 1950
SILAS A. ROWE	Term Expires 1950
STANLEY BRADY	Term Expires 1951
FRED A. PEASLEE	Term Expires 1951

*Trustees of Trust Funds*

HARRY B. PRESTON	Term Expires 1949
NORMAN C. PARMENTER	Term Expires 1950
RUFUS T. MORRISON	Term Expires 1951

*School Board*

MERLE R. PATENAUDE	Term Expires 1951
JOHN P. CHASE	Term Expires 1949
MARGARET S. CARNES	Resigned
DOROTHY G. GOSS	By Appointment

*Fire Engineers*

GUY H. BRILL, Chief	ROBY H. WOOD
ERNEST P. GREENWOOD	

*Forest Fire Wardens*

ROBY H. WOOD, Chief	WILLIAM L. CHILDS
HAROLD A. TUCKER, Jr.	ALFRED COLBY
LINWOOD G. HUNTINGTON	

*Town Auditors*

FOREST W. DOWLIN	ALFRED L. FRENCH
LESTER E. CONNOR	

*Ballot Clerks*

SILAS A. ROWE	LESTER W. CARNES
HARRY L. HOLMES	DUNCAN P. NOYES

*Police Officers*

ERNEST P. GREENWOOD, Chief of Police	
and Dog Constable	
OLIVER D. DANIELS	MYRON J. HAZEN
RUSSELL B. BISHOPRIC	ROBY H. WOOD
GEORGE D. GOODRICH	EARL A. GEER

*Fence Viewers*

LESTER R. BROWN	LESTER H. FARRAR
LINWOOD G. HUNTINGTON	

*Surveyors of Wood and Lumber*

ARTHUR STARR	FOREST W. DOWLIN
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## TOWN WARRANT

The State of New Hampshire

To the inhabitants of the Town of Henniker, in the county of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

(L. S.)

You are hereby notified to meet at the Cogswell High School Auditorium in said Henniker on Tuesday, the eighth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

Town meeting will be recessed for School meeting.

Polls open at 9:00 A. M. and close at 6:00 P. M.

The articles in the Warrant will be taken up at 10:00 A. M.

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.

2. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Library Trustees, Trustees of Trust Funds, and other Committees.

3. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year.

4. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repair of highways and bridges.



5. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the Public Health Nursing Association, raise money for the same, or take any action relative thereto.

6. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise or appropriate to defray the expense of observing Memorial Day.

7. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate in addition to that required by Law for the support of the Tucker Free Library.

8. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of the Fire Department.

9. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purpose of maintaining hydrant service for the ensuing year.

10. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for lighting streets for the ensuing year.

11. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

12. To see what sum of money the Town will raise or appropriate to prevent the spread of white pine blister, or take any action relative thereto.

13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen to reinsure the Town buildings and Town trucks.

14. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for State Aid Construction of Class V Roads.

15. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the Merrimack Valley Region Association.

16. To see what action the Town will take relative to maintaining a Town Dump, raise money for same, or take other action relative thereto.

17. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise or appropriate to defray its share of Old Age Assistance.

18. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise or appropriate as its share of the deficiency of the Concord Hospital.

19. To see what action the Town will take relative to the laying out and construction of a new street extending westerly from Hall Avenue, and make an appropriation for same.

20. To see what action the town will take relative to a Memorial to our Veterans, and make an appropriation for same.

21. To see if the Town will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to make an audit of the Town accounts, and make an appropriation for same.

22. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise or appropriate for removing snow from sidewalks, and purchase of equipment for same.

23. To see if the Town will vote to request the State Tax Commission to make a complete reappraisal of the Town, and appropriate money for same.

24. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the provi-  
Municipal Budget Law.

25. To see if the Town will vote to observe, during  
August 1949, the 50th Anniversary of Old Home Week,  
and raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor.

26. To see what action the Town will take relative  
to discontinuing the following portions of roads subject  
to gates and bars:

1. That portion of old road from the Weare  
line northerly to its intersection with the new trunk  
line.

2. That portion of road from the farm of  
Roberts Edwards to the Deering line.

3. That portion of road from the Vincent Place  
to the Weare line.

4. That portion of road from the Colburn place  
northerly to the corner on the Craney Pond Road.

5. That portion of road from Quaker Street  
across to the Hatch Farm.

6. That portion of road from Quaker Street up  
the hill along the telephone line to the road between  
the L. Huntington and H. Huntington Farms.

7. That portion of road extending southerly  
from the C. J. McCormish Farm through the Haw-  
thorne Place.

8. That portion of road from the Butter Road  
easterly to the Craney Hill Road.

9. That portion of road from the Colleague Pond Road northwesterly to the Warner line.

10. The Shaker Hill Road from the F. Durgin Farm to the Hopkinton line.

11. The Falls Road from the Plummer Cemetery northerly to the river.

Given under our hands and seal, this fourteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-nine.

FRED T. CONNOR  
CLARENCE L. FITCH  
STEPHEN C. BENNETT

*Selectmen of Henniker*

## MEMORIAL DAY STATEMENT — 1948

*Receipts —*

Received from Town Treasurer .....	\$	150.00
Balance on hand from 1947 .....		8.51
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	\$	158.51

*Paid —*

Shrine Drum Corp. (Music) ..	\$	50.00
F. L. Chase (Flags) .....		30.75
Henniker Pharmacy (Supplies)		17.99
J. W. Johnson & Son (wreaths)		21.42
Rock Garden (Meals for band)		29.00
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	\$	149.16
Balance on hand .....	\$	9.35

Respectfully submitted,

H. F. CALDWELL, *Adjutant.*

DAVIS-WOODMAN Post #78

American Legion

## TAXES RAISED, EXPENDED, AND ESTIMATE

1948 - 1949

	Raised 1948	Expended 1948	Estimate 1949
Town Charges:			
Town Officers Salaries		\$1,772.28	\$1,925.00
Town Officers Expenses		1,088.17	1,135.00
Election and Registration .....		329.15	165.00
Municipal Court .....		123.50	115.00
Town Buildings, Expenses .....		376.80	575.00
Police Dept. ....		552.79	550.00
Vital Statistics .....		68.75	75.00
Sewer Maintenance .....		206.96	100.00
Town Poor .....		574.01	600.00
Light at Woodman Park		15.96	16.00
Cemeteries .....		15.00	
Interest on Temp. Loan and Notes .....		239.17	250.00
Total .....	\$5,000.00	\$5,422.54	\$5,506.00
County Tax .....	\$ 5,100.87	\$ 5,100.87	\$ 5,200.00
Highways and Bridges	8,000.00	9,628.21	8,000.00
Highway and Bridges			
Deficiency Appro. ....			1,000.00
Regional Assn. ....	150.00	150.00	150.00
Memorial Day .....	150.00	150.00	150.00
Libraries .....	235.00	235.00	235.00
Fire Department .....	1,400.00	1,467.50	1,000.00
Hydrant Service .....	1,179.00	1,179.00	1,179.00

Street Lighting .....	1,232.04	1,231.92	1,600.00
Public Health Assn. ....	1,700.00	1,700.00	1,600.00
Class V Roads .....	1,035.23	1,035.23	1,052.24
Blister Rust .....			400.00
Old Age Assistance ....	3,000.00	2,681.58	2,800.00
Truck .....	2,000.00	2,505.00	
Dump .....	350.00	388.75	350.00
Concord Hospital .....			1,550.00
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Total .....	\$30,532.14	\$32,814.25	\$31,922.24

The above does not include any estimate of amounts that may be raised for the snow removal from sidewalks and equipment, Veterans memorial, new streets, Old Home Day, etc.

## TOWN VALUATION, APRIL 1, 1948

Real Estate .....	\$1,185,945.00
Electric Plants .....	117,870.00
Growing Timber .....	63,935.00
Horses, 84 .....	6,865.00
Oxen, 2 .....	350.00
Cows, 489 .....	68,460.00
Neat Stock, 101 .....	10,490.00
Hogs, 9 .....	360.00
Sheep and Goats, 17 .....	190.00
Fowls, 18,775 .....	27,570.00
Portable Mills, 3 .....	2,350.00
Vehicles, 2 .....	1,000.00
Wood and Lumber .....	23,530.00
Gasoline Pumps, Tanks .....	4,235.00
Stock in Trade .....	110,570.00
Mills & Machinery .....	114,600.00
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Total Tax Valuation .....	\$1,738,320.00
Soldiers Exemptions .....	54,950.00
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Total Valuation .....	\$1,793,270.00

Tax Rate Per \$100.00 Valuation, \$3.42



## TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

January 1, 1948, Cash on hand ..... \$ 4,519.54

*Received:*

C. H. Tucker, clerk, 1948 dog tax .....	\$ 402.92
C. H. Tucker, clerk, 1948 automobile tax ....	3,201.80
C. H. Tucker, clerk, 1947 automobile tax ....	44.71
C. H. Tucker, clerk, 1948 filing fees .....	15.00
C. H. Tucker, clerk, list of legal voters sold .....	1.25
C. H. Tucker, collector, 1947 tax sale .....	369.04
C. H. Tucker, collector, 1948 tax sale .....	108.04
C. H. Tucker, collector, 1947 poll tax .....	26.00
C. H. Tucker, collector, 1947 subsequent tax .....	8.00
C. H. Tucker, collector, interest tax 1947 ....	.58
C. H. Tucker, collector, 1948 poll tax .....	1,198.00
C. H. Tucker, collector, 1948 property tax ..	57,618.01
C. H. Tucker, collector, interest tax 1948 ....	7.90
C. H. Tucker, collector, Nat. Bank Stock tax .....	7.00
Selectmen, State, Savings Bank tax .....	488.30
Selectmen, State, Railroad tax .....	79.53
Selectmen, State, Interest & Dividends tax ....	1,357.19
Selectmen, Town note .....	20,000.00
Selectmen, rent of town buildings .....	600.00
Selectmen, refund on gas tax .....	138.20
Selectmen, State, refund on bounties .....	102.50
Selectmen, State, refund on forest fires .....	68.95
Selectmen, plowing driveways .....	13.00
Selectmen, firearms permits .....	4.00
Selectmen, Municipal Court .....	194.70
Selectmen, State, poor off Farm .....	183.68
Selectmen, James R. Straw fund .....	881.65
Selectmen, refund on containers .....	14.50
Selectmen, refund on Town of Newbury bill .....	4.00

Selectmen, Contoocook Fire Precinct .....	14.85
Selectmen, pool room license .....	20.00
Selectmen, Weaver Bros. Co., use of fire truck .....	5.00
Selectmen, A. R. Rowe, refund services of fire- men .....	16.15
Selectmen, property sold .....	1.00
Oliver N. Parker, use of grader .....	732.10
Oliver N. Parker, Burt Warren improvement to road .....	200.00
Oliver N. Parker, old battery sold .....	3.50
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Total receipts .....	\$92,650.59
Paid by order of Selectmen .....	86,700.68
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Cash on hand, December 31, 1948 .....	\$ 5,949.91

Respectfully submitted,

W. L. CHILDS, *Treasurer*

## TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

## SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1948

— DR. —

*Taxes Committed to Collector:*

Property Taxes .....	\$57,571.25
Poll Taxes .....	1,284.00
National Bank Stock Taxes .....	7.00

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Total Warrant .....	\$58,862.25
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*Added Taxes:*

Property Taxes .....	\$ 97.47
Property Taxes (omitted by error in 1947) .....	26.40
Poll Taxes .....	30.00

<i>Interest Collected</i> .....	7.90
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Total Debits .....	\$59,024.02
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— CR. —

*Remittances to Treasurer:*

Property Taxes .....	\$57,618.01
Poll Taxes .....	1,198.00
National Bank Stock Taxes .....	7.00
Interest Collected .....	7.90

<i>Abatements:</i> .....	24.00
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*Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List:*

Property Taxes .....	77.11
Poll Taxes .....	92.00

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Total Credits .....	\$59,024.02
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## SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1947

— DR. —

*Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1948:*

Poll Taxes .....	\$	42.00	
<i>Subsequent Taxes:</i>			
Poll Taxes .....		8.00	
		<hr/>	50.00

*Interest Collected During Fiscal**Year Ended December 31, 1948 ....* .58

Total Debits .....	\$	50.58
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— CR. —

*Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal**Year Ended December 31, 1948:*

Poll Taxes .....	34.00
Interest Collected During Year ....	.58

*Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List:*

Poll Taxes .....	16.00
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Total Credits .....	\$	50.58
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## SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1946

— DR. —

*Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1948:*

Poll Tax .....	\$	2.00	
Total Debits .....			2.00

— CR. —

<i>Abatement Made During Year</i> .....		2.00	
Total Credits .....	\$		2.00

SUMMARY OF TAX SALE ACCOUNTS  
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1948

— DR. —

	<i>Tax Sale on account of Levy of:</i>		
	1948	1947	1946
Taxes Sold to Town During			
Current Fiscal Year .....	\$ 852.98		
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes			
as of January 1, 1948 .....		\$ 410.14	\$ 15.74
Interest Collected after sale ..		17.19	
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Total Debits .....	\$ 852.98	\$ 427.33	\$ 15.74

— CR. —

Remittances to Treasurer During			
Fiscal Year .....	\$ 108.04	\$ 369.04	
Unredeemed Taxes—At Close			
of Year .....	744.94	58.29	15.74
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Total Credits .....	\$ 852.98	\$ 427.33	\$ 15.74

CHARLES H. TUCKER,  
*Collector of Taxes*

## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

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*Receipts*

189 Dog licenses issued .....	\$ 440.72
Less fees .....	37.80
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	\$ 402.92
700 Motor vehicle permits issued .....	\$ 3,246.51
Election filing fees .....	15.00
List of legal voters sold .....	1.25
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Total Debits .....	\$ 3,665.68

*Paid Town Treasurer*

Dog Tax .....	\$ 402.92
Automobile tax .....	3,246.51
Filing fees .....	15.00
Sale of checklist .....	1.25
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Total Credits .....	\$ 3,665.68

CHARLES H. TUCKER,  
*Town Clerk*

## SUMMARY HENNIKER MUNICIPAL COURT

For Year 1948

No. of Cases of:

Automobile Speeding .....	37
Operating while under the influence .....	9
Operating without License .....	10
Illegal Parking .....	4
Miscellaneous Motor Violations .....	16
Drunkenness .....	13
Disturbing the Peace .....	10
Assault .....	2
Fish and Game Law Violations .....	3
Petty Larceny .....	2
Non Support .....	2
Evictions .....	1
Small Claims .....	1

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Total .....	110
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Paid Town of Henniker .....	\$ 226.20
Paid Motor Vehicle Dept. ....	1,382.90
Paid Witness Fees and Officers Costs .....	671.58

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Total .....	\$ 2,280.68
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LEWIS H. CARPENTER,  
*Judge*



## Report of Expenditures of the Income from the Straw Fund

Jan. 1, 1947, balance in hand of Treasurer ....	\$ 1,357.22
Received from Trustees of Trust Funds .....	881.65
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	\$ 2,238.87
Paid truck note .....	\$ 1,000.00
Paid on new truck .....	505.00
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	\$ 1,505.00
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Balance in hand of Treasurer .....	\$ 733.87

Report of Expenditures of the Income from the  
Constantine Fund

Jan. 1, 1948, Balance in hand of Treasurer ....	\$ 3.13
Jan. 1, 1949, Balance in hand of Treasurer ....	3.13

## Building Repair Fund

Jan. 1, 1948, Balance in hand of Treasurer ....	\$ 1,582.61
Paid out during 1948 .....	\$ 1,279.46
See Schedule Payments on Town Hall and other Buildings	
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Jan. 1, 1949, Balance in hand of Treasurer	\$ 303.15

## HEALTH OFFICER'S REPORT

The past year, the general health of the Community was good. There were no cases of the serious type that requires isolation. Six samples of water from the Town supply was sent to the State Laboratory for analysis, all reports satisfactory.

I have inspected five Foster Homes, one Maternity Home, also two Convalescent Homes, signed all applications. I have inspected the Toilets in the School Buildings, also all Rest Rooms. I have inspected Camp Shomria.

We still need to take steps regarding the proper disposal garbage and rubbish.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. CARR,  
*Health Officer*

January 1, 1949.

## REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

### General Visiting Service

1298	Visits to give bedside care	
201	Instructive Visits	
82	Prenatal Visits	
2	Deliveries	
96	Newborn Visits	
1220	Dressings	
21	Patients taken to Hospitals, Doctors' offices, clinic, etc.	
4	Patients accompanied to Concord Hospital in ambulance	

### School Nursing

The pupils of the three schools were examined by Dr. Francis Brown. The following conditions were found:

Dental Caries .....	68	Corrections .....	39
Defective vision .....	13	Corrections .....	6
Squint .....	3	Corrections .....	3
Tonsils & Adenoids ....	8	Corrections .....	1
Heart Murmurs .....	5	Corrections .....	0
Phemosis .....	13	Corrections .....	16
Orthopedic defects ....	28	Corrections .....	0
Hernia .....	1	Corrections .....	3
Pediculosis .....	3		
Dressings done at school	54		
Skin Diseases - Excema	2		
Shingles	1		
Acne	3		
Pupils taken home from school ill .....	22		

In March, 22 pupils and 2 adults were patched by Miss Constance Martin, R.M., of the State Tubercular Association. No reactors.

The hearing of all pupils from Grade III up were tested by audiometer. Results were: 1 pupil with a hearing loss in left ear.

In May, a Child Health and Toxoid clinic was held at the Central School under the direction of Mrs. Gertrude Snow, R.M., State Public Health nurse.

Drs. Gilland and Brown of Henniker and Dr. Penhale of Concord were the examining physicians. Seventy-two children received physical examination and immunization.

In June and July, follow-up clinics were held for the second and third injectives. Dr. Brown was the attending physician.

In conclusion I wish to thank all for their kindness and cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

MAE A. MAILLETTE, R.N.

*Public Health Nurse*

## REPORT OF TREASURER

Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1948 .....	\$	385.86
Received Mae A. Maillette fees ....		217.25
From supper .....		16.50
From Town 1948 Appropriation ....		1,700.00
Henniker School District .....		200.00
John Hancock Insurance Co. ....		30.00
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Total receipts .....	\$	2,549.61

*Payments*

Collector of Internal Revenue .....	\$	101.00
Henniker Pharmacy .....		4.08
H. L. Holmes & Son, Flowers for Ruth Nichols funeral .....		5.00
Bank charges .....		1.45
Mae A. Maillette, salary .....		1,730.20
Mae A. Maillette, use of car .....		150.00
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Total payments .....	\$	1,991.73
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Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1949 .....	\$	557.88.

CHARLES J. BURNHAM,

*Treasurer*

*Assets*

Cash in hand of Treasurer .....	\$ 5,949.91
Cash in hand of Treasurer of Water Works .....	1,142.73
<i>Accounts due Town:</i>	
Balance T.R.A. ....	106.14
Bounties .....	138.00
Water rents .....	629.02
Unredeemed taxes, 1948 .....	744.94
Unredeemed taxes, 1947 .....	58.29
Unredeemed taxes, 1946 .....	15.74
Uncollected taxes, 1948 .....	169.11
Uncollected taxes, 1947 .....	16.00
Uncollected taxes, 1946 .....	2.00
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Total assets .....	\$ 8,971.88

*Liabilities*

Unexpended balance, repair of town buildings .....	\$ 303.15
Due School District, dog licenses ....	388.28
Due School District, balance appro- priation .....	10,610.67
Balance T.R.A. ....	106.14
Truck notes .....	5,000.00
Water Works notes .....	9,500.00
Water Works bonds .....	53,000.00
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Total liabilities .....	\$78,908.24
Excess of liabilities over assets .....	\$69,936.36
Decrease of debt .....	\$ 76.18

## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town hall, lands and buildings .....	\$ 10,000.00
Furniture and equipment .....	500.00
Libraries, lands and buildings .....	20,000.00
Furniture and equipment .....	7,500.00
Academy Hall, lands and buildings .....	2,500.00
Equipment .....	200.00
Fire department, lands and buildings .....	3,000.00
Equipment .....	6,000.00
Highway department, lands, buildings and equipment .....	10,000.00
Material and supplies .....	150.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds .....	6,000.00
Water Supply .....	58,000.00
Schools land and buildings .....	110,000.00
Equipment .....	21,500.00
Carter land, Bradford road .....	350.00
Arthur Hall property .....	100.00
Rogers lot .....	50.00
Etta Town's lot .....	300.00
Hattie Davis lot .....	100.00
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Total .....	\$256,250.00

## FOREST FIRE WARDEN REPORT

1. Always get a written permit from the warden before kindling a fire outdoors when the ground is not covered with snow.

2. If you smoke, always extinguish matches and tobacco before dropping or throwing them down. In automobiles, always use the ash trays.

3. Report fires and smokes to the warden without delay.

The observance of these and other simple rules will go far to insure safety from fire damage and your cooperation in this way is earnestly solicited.

## 1948 Fire Record —

Number of fires .....	2
Acreage burned .....	$\frac{1}{2}$
Number of Fire Permits issued .....	35

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS J. KING,  
*District Fire Chief*

ROBY H. WOOD,  
*Forest Fire Warden*



## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

## Town Officers Salaries

W. L. Childs, Treasurer .....	\$ 150.00
F. W. Dowlin, services of auditors .....	54.00
Fred T. Connor, services as selectman .....	282.00
Clarence L. Fitch, services as selectman .....	264.00
Stephen C. Bennett, services as selectman .....	306.00
Wm. H. Carr, Health Officer .....	36.50
Chas. H. Tucker, Town Clerk .....	100.00
Chas. H. Tucker, Tax Collector .....	579.78
Total .....	\$ 1,735.78
	<b>1772.28</b>

## Town Officers Expenses

Rufus T. Morrison, expenses as trustee .....	\$ 25.00
Harry B. Preston, expenses as trustee .....	50.00
N. H. Tax Collectors Ass'n., dues .....	8.00
Assn. N. H. Assessors, dues .....	2.00
Register of Probate, list of estates .....	.60
Katherine A. Crowley, conveyances .....	27.89
Merrimack County Savings Bank, box rent ....	15.00
Hazel Gilbert, copying books .....	35.00
Charles Hardy, town clerk's dues .....	2.00
Orr & Reno, legal services .....	5.00
W. L. Childs, cash advanced for check book and postage .....	10.52
H. L. Holmes & Son, Bonds for town officers ..	72.50
Albert Rush, assisting tax comm. ....	6.00
Clarence L. Fitch, use of car .....	5.18
Stephen C. Bennett, stamps, supplies, and use of car .....	21.35

Fred T. Connor, use of car and cash advanced	33.45
L'Avenir National Publishing Co., printing town report .....	338.80
Wm. H. Carr, expenses as Health Officer .....	17.16
Chas. H. Tucker, cash advanced for writing tax book .....	5.00
Chas. H. Tucker, supplies, postage, fees .....	34.55
Chas. H. Tucker, issuing 700 motor vehicle permits .....	350.00
Contoocook Valley Telephone Co., service ....	8.42
Edson C. Eastman Co., supplies .....	14.75
Total .....	<hr/> \$ 1,088.17

#### Election and Registration

Maxwell Press, printing ballots, checklists, pads, etc. ....	\$ 92.35
Richard McCloud, janitor service .....	3.00
Peter Beane, moving booths .....	5.25
Fred A. Peaslee, services as supervisor .....	33.40
Alice V. Flanders, services as supervisor .....	48.85
Prescott S. Farrar, services as supervisor .....	50.40
Elberton E. Farrar, moving booths .....	6.00
Lester Carnes, services as ballot clerk .....	18.00
Leon O. Cooper, services as ballot clerk .....	11.00
Duncon P. Noyes, services as ballot clerk .....	18.00
James W. Doon, moderator .....	24.00
Martha Twiss, lunch for town officers .....	5.00
Grace Murdough, lunch for town officers .....	5.60
Edson C. Eastman Co., Tally sheets, warrants	2.30
Nickelas Guarino, janitor service .....	6.00
Total .....	<hr/> \$ 329.15

#### Municipal Court

Lewis H. Carpenter, services as judge .....	\$ 100.00
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Lewis H. Carpenter, cash advanced for supplies	16.50
Edson C. Eastman Co., book .....	7.00
Total .....	<hr/> \$ 123.50

#### Town Hall and other Buildings

Cogswell Spring Water Works, water rent ....	\$ 48.00
Public Service Co., service .....	19.60
H. L. Holmes, Insurance engine house .....	16.50
H. L. Holmes, fuel for engine house .....	246.55
Edmunds Department Store, supplies .....	1.15
Silas A. Rowe, insurance on library .....	45.00
Total .....	<hr/> \$ 376.80

#### *Paid from Building Repair Fund:*

Roy C. Knapton, painting .....	\$ 808.99
Edmunds Department Store, paint .....	196.28
F. L. Chase, paint and supplies .....	251.34
Merrimack Farmers Exchange, paint .....	22.85
Total .....	<hr/> \$ 1,279.46

#### Police

Ernest Greenwood, Chief .....	\$ 232.60
Oliver D. Daniels .....	77.60
Roby H. Wood .....	18.90
Myron Hazen .....	33.30
Russell Bishopric .....	18.00
James Ellsworth, investigating accident .....	2.10
Rosenfield Uniform Co., uniform and one pair trousers .....	103.79
Ruth C. Maxwell, parking notices .....	12.75
Ernest Greenwood, revolver and cartridges ....	40.50
Maxwell Press, printing summons .....	13.25
Total .....	<hr/> \$ 552.79

## Fire Department

Guy H. Brill, Chief, engineers salary and labor	\$ 22.50
General Taylor Engine Co., services at fires ..	285.71
General Taylor Engine Co., Payroll .....	90.00
General Taylor Engine Co., firemen's dues ..	30.00
Mass. Bonding & Insurance Co., premium .....	250.00
Eastern Fire Equipment Co., booster reel .....	46.13
General Fire Protection Equipment Co., fog nozzle .....	17.66
American Fire Equipment Co., supplies .....	1.29
Silas A. Rowe, insurance fire truck .....	30.00
Cogswell Spring Water Works, hydrant rental	1,179.00
Harold L. Dowers, canvas cover .....	12.89
Ernest Greenwood, shoveling hydrants .....	48.20
Elberton E. Farrar, shoveling hydrants .....	39.00
Edmunds Department Store, batteries .....	.40
F. L. Chase, supplies .....	2.14
Henniker Pharmacy, supplies .....	3.35
V. Richard Chambers, nozzle and supplies .....	12.93
Maple Street Garage, gas and repairs .....	72.80
Total .....	<hr/> \$ 2,144.00

## Forest Fires

Roby H. Wood, Warden, posting notices and fires .....	\$ 36.10
Roby H. Wood, Warden, expenses attending wardens school .....	16.40
Merrimack Farmers Exchange, truck .....	450.00
Total .....	<hr/> \$ 502.50

## Bounties

Clarence L. Fitch .....	\$ 88.00
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Stephen C. Bennett .....	33.00
Fred T. Connor .....	17.00
Total .....	<hr/> \$ 138.00

#### Damage by Dogs

Ruth C. Maxwell, dog notice .....	\$ 1.00
Wheeler & Clark, dog supplies .....	13.64
Total .....	<hr/> \$ 14.64

#### Health Department

Henniker Public Health Assn., 1948 Appro. ....	\$ 1,700.00
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#### Vital Statistics

Chas. H. Tucker, notifying and recording .....	\$ 68.75
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#### Sewer Maintenance

Oliver D. Daniels, Maple Street Sewer .....	\$ 34.00
Robert E. Smith, Maple Street Sewer .....	78.80
Concord Lumber Co., pipe, Maple St. Sewer .....	14.08
E. H. Jameson, labor .....	29.48
Lester H. Farrar, labor .....	39.00
Elberton E. Farrar, trucking .....	.75
B. J. Bishopric, thawing Pearl St. sewer .....	10.85
Total .....	<hr/> \$ 206.96

#### Town Dump

Oliver N. Parker, labor at dump .....	\$ 136.70
Howard Gammell, labor at dump .....	52.80
Walter Watkins, labor at dump .....	157.80

Roby H. Wood, fires at dump .....	21.85
Malcolm McCormish, bulldozer at dump .....	15.00
Total .....	<u>\$ 388.75</u>

### Street Lighting

Public Service Co. of N. H. ....	\$ 1,231.92
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### Highway Department

Oliver N. Parker, Agent .....	\$ 1,450.00
Malcolm McCormish .....	308.95
Wallace Barnard .....	588.30
Alfred Morse .....	514.80
Shirley Davison .....	23.80
P. Gordon Davison .....	41.50
John Fellows .....	502.59
George Weaver .....	146.60
Harry Robertson .....	7.00
Harry Hatch .....	10.90
Forrest Dowlin .....	3.50
Allen Doon .....	6.30
Lee Clement .....	15.00
Cecil Wright .....	6.30
Robert French .....	26.40
Elery Ayer .....	6.30
Robert Smith .....	311.30
Ayer Brothers, cutting bushes .....	253.50
Clyde Derby .....	13.30
Richard Bowden .....	7.00
Alfred Burnham .....	33.30
Fred Burnham .....	29.40
Oliver W. Parker .....	7.70
A. Kenneth Hall .....	385.50
Clifford Durgin .....	8.40
William Sanville .....	18.90

Philip Chase, plowing snow .....	14.00
Percy Robertson .....	11.10
R. Harrington, plowing snow .....	18.00
Calvin Tucker .....	7.00
Howard Taylor .....	711.20
Francis Taylor .....	7.00
Scott Parmenter .....	14.00
Norman Dennis .....	57.50
James McCormish .....	14.00
Total .....	\$ 5,580.34

#### General Expenses of Highway Department

H. L. Holmes & Son, gas & oil .....	\$ 414.58
H. L. Holmes & Son, insurance on grader and trucks .....	88.90
Maple St. Garage, gas, oil, supplies and repairs .....	1,104.60
Casellini Venable Corp., grader repairs .....	157.66
C. W. Rowe, repairs .....	82.23
Western Avenue Garage, labor .....	8.25
C. A. Harrington, labor .....	3.00
State Highway Garage, repairs and supplies ....	440.39
State Highway Department, signs and painting .....	14.65
Rices Inc., grader tube .....	10.60
Sears Roebuck, supplies .....	32.21
Socony Oil Co., fuel oil .....	51.85
Murray Machine Co., repairs for Oshkosh ....	431.72
Firestone Stores, 4 tires and tubes for grader .....	320.12
N. H. Explosives, pipe .....	33.81
Merrimack Farmers Exchange, salt, snow fence and supplies .....	171.81
B. J. Bishopric .....	1.05
Edmunds Dept. Store, supplies .....	33.36
Sanel, supplies .....	60.26
Foy Tire Co., repairs .....	2.50
F. L. Chase, supplies .....	19.01

Barry Patenaude, wood .....	10.00
Henniker Machine Co., labor and material .....	21.05
Concord Lumber Co., pipe .....	21.28
S. C. Bennett, cash advanced for chains .....	15.50
J. A. Connare, two front grader tires .....	103.82
Bernard Foster, Chev. front axle assembly .....	15.00
Pat's Poultry Place, loading snow .....	72.00
Gulf Oil Co., oil .....	46.75
South Western Transportation Co., express ....	1.15
Silas A. Rowe, Insurance of Chev. truck .....	29.70
Collector Internal Revenue, withholding tax ....	218.50
Public Service Co., lights .....	10.56
Total .....	<hr/> \$ 4,047.87

## Libraries

Tucker Free Library, 1948 appropriation .....	\$ 235.00
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## Old Age Assistance

State of New Hampshire .....	\$ 2,681.58
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## Town Poor

Town of Dunbarton .....	\$ 8.00
Daniel Webster Home for Children .....	324.50
Franklin Hospital Assn. ....	46.50
Elsie B. Hall, board .....	5.00
Henniker Pharmacy .....	13.30
Arnold Ryan, meals .....	10.00
Elsie Ryan, meals .....	10.00
Alsada Hoffman, rent .....	24.00
Dr. Francis Brown, services .....	11.00
H. L. Holmes & Son, fuel oil .....	29.13
First National Stores .....	65.00
Hillsboro Dairy .....	27.58
Total .....	<hr/> \$ 574.01



## County Poor

First National Stores .....	\$ 55.00
Kendricks & Sons .....	10.00
H. L. Holmes & Son, fuel oil .....	62.59
Hillsboro Dairy .....	27.02
Henniker Pharmacy .....	25.59
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Total .....	\$ 180.20

## Memorial Day

Memorial Day Committee, 1948 appropriation	\$ 150.00
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## Parks

Public Service Co. of N. H., service .....	\$ 15.96
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## Cemeteries

H. L. Holmes & Son, hearse hire .....	\$ 15.00
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## Taxes Bought by Town

Chas. H. Tucker, collector .....	\$ 923.09
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## Merrimack Valley Region Assn.

Merrimack Valley Region Assn., 1948 approp.	\$ 150.00
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## Interest

N. H. Savings Bank .....	\$ 239.17
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## New Equipment

Ralph George Motor Co., truck, by 1948 app.	\$ 2,000.00
From Straw Fund .....	505.00
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Total .....	\$ 2,505.00

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103,574.3

## Temporary Loans

N. H. Savings Bank, note in anticipation of taxes .....	\$20,000.00
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## Bonds and Notes

N. H. Savings Bank, truck note .....	\$ 1,000.00
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## County

Alfred S. Cloues, Treasurer, County tax .....	\$ 5,100.87
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## Refunds

Lewis H. Carpenter, fines to State .....	\$ 54.00
George Wilkins, auto permit returned .....	12.15
Francis Buxton, auto permit returned .....	27.21
Ove H. Lange, auto tax .....	1.48
Alfred L. Morse, auto tax .....	1.64
John H. Clyburn, auto tax .....	2.73
Frank Sweatt, auto tax .....	1.45
Ove H. Lange, dog tax .....	2.00
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Total .....	\$ 102.66

## Schools

Henniker School District, balance 1947 appr. \$	7,412.00
Henniker School District, 1947 dog tax .....	335.03
Henniker School District, part 1948 appr. ....	22,500.00
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Total .....	\$30,247.03

# Trust Funds

## Report of Trustees of Trust Funds for the Year Ending December 31, 1948

Date of Creation	Name of Fund	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1948	Income 1948	Expended 1948	Balance on hand on Dec. 31, 1948
1903	George W. Tucker, Library	U. S. Bonds 2½% 9 Savings Banks 2%, 2½% ..	\$ 5,000.00 34,364.72	.....	\$ 125.00 665.58	.....	.....
		Total for fund .....	\$39,364.72	.....	\$ 790.58	\$ 728.08	\$ 62.50
1920	D. W. & E. L. Cogswell	U. S. Bonds 2½% Brown Co. Bonds 5% 4 Savings Banks 2%, 2½%	\$ 2,000.00 2,900.00 50,434.16	.....	\$ 50.00 150.00 1,272.43	.....	.....
		Total for fund .....	\$55,334.16	\$ 25.00	\$ 1,472.43	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 497.43
1922	James & Hannah F. Straw	U. S. Bonds, 2½% U. S. Bonds 2½% Merrimack County Savings Bank 2½% .....	\$15,500.00 4,000.00 500.00	.....	\$ 445.63 100.00 12.66	.....	.....
		Total for fund .....	\$20,000.00	.....	\$ 558.29	\$ 558.29	.....
1923	G. H. Dodge, Attendance	Cheshire County Savings Bank 2% .....	\$ 500.00	.....	\$ 8.36	.....	\$ 8.36
1925	Proctor Family Memorial	4 Savings Banks 2%, 2½% ..	\$20,000.00	\$ 1,017.43	\$ 460.81	\$ 15.37	\$ 1,462.87
1929	L. A. Cogswell, Athletic Field	Amoskeag Savings Bank 2½% ..	\$ 5,000.00	.....	\$ 113.64	\$ 113.64	.....
1929	L. A. Cogswell, Azalea Park	Franklin Savings Bank 2% ..	\$ 5,000.00	.....	\$ 100.34	\$ 100.34	.....
1929	L. A. Cogswell, Library	3 Savings Banks 2%, 2½% ..	\$10,000.00	.....	\$ 233.14	\$ 147.68	\$ 75.46
1931	L. A. Cogswell, High School	U. S. Bonds 2½% 7 Savings Banks 2%, 2½% ..	\$ 2,000.00 32,000.00	.....	\$ 50.00 903.07	.....	.....
		Total for fund .....	\$35,000.00	\$ 6,740.98	\$ 953.07	\$ 2,300.00	\$ 5,394.05

Date of Creation	Name of Fund	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1948	Income 1948	Expended 1948	Balance on hand on Dec. 31, 1948
1935	F. J. Constantine	Cheshire County Savings Bank 2% .....	\$ 1,180.81	.....	\$ 23.49	.....	\$ 11.75*
1935	James R. Straw	U. S. Bonds 2½% .....	\$21,000.00	.....	525.00	.....	.....
		U. S. Bonds 2¾% .....	28,000.00	.....	805.00	.....	.....
		U. S. Bonds 3½% .....	23,000.00	.....	718.75	.....	.....
		Hillsboro Co. 3% Bonds ....	4,000.00	.....	120.00	.....	.....
		U. S. "G" Bonds 2½½ .....	13,000.00	.....	325.00	.....	.....
		3 Savings Banks 2%, 2½% ..	10,818.28	.....	247.27	.....	.....
		Total for fund .....	\$99,818.28	.....	\$ 2,741.02	\$ 1,469.41	\$ 1,271.61
1938	Alice V. Colby, Library	Hillsboro Savings Bank 2% ..	\$ 300.00	.....	6.04	.....	\$ 6.04
1943	A. D. Huntoon, Library	Mechanics Savings Bank 2½% ..	\$ 1,000.00	.....	25.15	\$ 25.15	.....
	Cemetery Funds	U. S. Bonds 2½% "G" .....	\$ 4,000.00	.....	100.00	.....	.....
		7 Savings Banks 2%, 2½% ..	13,045.03	.....	306.40	.....	.....
		Total for fund .....	\$17,045.03	\$ 571.85	\$ 406.40	\$ 371.56	\$ 606.69
		TOTAL OF FUNDS DRAWING INTEREST .....					\$309,531.26
		* One-half of income added to principal and included in that account.					

## PARK AND PROCTOR FUNDS

Reports of Receipts and Expenditures for the year ending  
December 31, 1948

(Administered by Trustees of Trust Funds)

LEANDER A. COGSWELL ATHLETIC FIELD  
FUND*Receipts*

January 1, 1948, balance available .....	\$	160.60
Income, Amoskeag Savings Bank, Book No. 175560 .....		113.64
	\$	<u>274.24</u>

*Payments*

R. T. Morrison, labor and supplies .....	\$	36.10
Aaron Todd, spraying .....		10.00
Service charge on checks .....		.62
December 31, 1948, balance available .....		227.52
	\$	<u>274.24</u>

## LEANDER A. COGSWELL PARK FUND

*Receipts*

Balance available, January 1, 1948 .....	\$	30.96
Income D. W. & E. L. Cogswell fund, (10% of 1948 income, in part) .....		100.00
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	\$	130.96

*Payments*

Paid by R. T. Morrison for labor and supplies	\$	103.79
Aaron Todd, spraying .....		15.00
Service charge on checks .....		1.50
December 31, 1948, balance available .....		10.67
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	\$	130.96

## LEANDER A. COGSWELL, AZALEA PARK FUND

*Receipts*

January 1, 1948, balance available .....	\$	124.05
Income, Franklin Savings Bank, Book No. 30490 .....		100.24
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	\$	224.39

*Payments*

R. T. Morrison, labor and supplies .....	\$	121.85
Aaron Todd, spraying .....		25.00
Service charge on checks .....		1.50
December 31, 1948, balance available .....		76.04
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	\$	224.39

## PROCTOR FAMILY MEMORIAL FUND

*Receipts*

January 1, 1948, balance available .....	\$	36.31
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*Payments*

Earl H. Jameson, care of fountain .....	\$	15.37
December 31, 1948, balance available .....		20.94
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	\$	36.31

## JAMES R. STRAW INCOME FUND

(As Voted by the Town, March 12, 1946)

*Receipts*

January 1, 1948, balance available .....	\$	1,980.39
Deposited 40% of annual income of fund (in part) in Mechanics Savings Bank, Book No. 19503 .....		587.76
Savings Bank interest to October 1, 1948 (inc.) .....		49.49
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	\$	2,617.64

*Payments*

Cash on hand, December 31, 1948 .....	\$	2,617.64
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# DETAILED TABLE OF CEMETERY TRUSTS

(Administered by Henniker Cemetery Ass'n., in cooperation with Trustees of Trust Funds)

Name of Fund	Principal	Available for care 1948	Spent in 1948	Annual Income	Available for care 1949	Location of Lot
Albert C. Clark .....	\$ 100.00	\$ 2.50	\$ 2.50	\$ 2.50	\$ 2.50	New
Nathan Carter .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Mark Dustin .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Addie F. Cogswell .....	50.00	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	"
Sarah P. Richardson .....	250.00	8.25	6.25	6.25	8.25	"
Jennie F. Nuttner .....	75.00	1.87	1.87	1.88	1.88	"
Nahum Newton .....	50.00	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	"
Fannie M. Whitcomb .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Fidelia H. Carter .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Edwin R. Howe .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
William D. Harwood .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Georgianna Patterson .....	200.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	"
Sarah W. Pillsbury .....	150.00	4.00	3.50	3.75	4.25	"
Levi S. Connor .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Warren Sanborn .....	70.00	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	"
Seth W. Straw .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Mercie W. Bacon .....	50.00	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	"
Almedia Felch .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
R. M. Dowlin .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Levi C. Newton .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Josephine S. Colby .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Franklin C. Goss .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
George A. Eastman .....	200.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	"

DETAILED TABLE OF CEMETERY TRUSTS (Cont'd)

Name of Fund	Principal	1948 Available for care	1948 Spent in	Income Annual	1949 Available for care	of Lot Location
Jennette C. Allison .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Fannie M. Whitcomb .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
John H. Savage .....	50.00	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	"
Zadiah Dustin .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Frank A. Connor .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Edgar M. Clough .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Henry E. Merrick .....	50.00	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	"
Betsey J. Colby .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Charles L. Matthews .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Alma P. Shephard .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
George R. McAllaster .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Alilian C. Wheeler .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
William F. Raymond .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Joseph H. Wescomb .....	150.00	4.25	4.00	3.75	4.00	"
Ada C. Dodge .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
J. Madison Colby .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Albert M. Chase .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
James B. Phillips .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Lizzie H. Andrews .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Hattie M. Chase .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Hattie M. Chase (Follansbee lot) ..	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Sam'l. K. Page .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Eva M. Barnes .....	50.00	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	"
William F. Flanders .....	50.00	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	"
Ellon R. Bacon .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Amie L. Bacon .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"



DETAILED TABLE OF CEMETERY TRUSTS (Cont'd)

Name of Fund	Principal	Available for care 1948	Spent in 1948	Annual Income	Available for care 1949	Location of Lot
John H. Falvey .....	50.00	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	"
Bowen Family .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Fitz H. Corser .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Whittemore-Currier .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Bion E. Gale .....	75.00	1.87	1.87	1.88	1.88	"
John H. Brown .....	50.00	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	"
A. D. Huntoon .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Myron J. Presby .....	75.00	1.87	1.87	1.88	1.88	"
Ida M. Barnes .....	300.00	9.50	7.50	7.50	9.50	"
S. Q. A. Newton .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Amie L. Bacon (Additional) .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Heman D. Patterson .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
George P. Farrar .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Clark-Oleneck .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Ed. B. Wallace .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Wells Davis .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Julia A. Lewis .....	200.00	6.00	5.00	5.00	6.00	"
A. M. Ingersoll .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Daniel Cate .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Willis Robbins .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
E. C. Steele .....	5.03	.25	...	.15	.40	"
W. O. & J. F. Flanders .....	200.00	6.00	5.00	5.00	6.00	"
M. Eliz'h. Whitcomb .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Walter A. Connor .....	200.00	6.00	5.00	5.00	6.00	"
Mary L. Wiggins .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
George A. Colby .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"

Fred A. Leavitt .....	150.00	3.75	3.50	3.75	4.00	"
Fred N. Webster .....	50.00	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	"
Herbert C. Hoyt .....	50.00	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	"
Ida B. Morse .....	100.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	"
Patten-Bennett .....	100.00	2.33	2.33	2.50	2.50	"
Edna Dean Proctor .....	200.00	6.50	3.00	5.00	8.50	Old
Almira Cook .....	50.00	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	"
Sarah M. Morse .....	100.00	2.50	2.00	2.50	3.00	"
Mary C. Wadsworth .....	50.00	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	"
Rufus T. Howe .....	200.00	7.50	2.00	5.00	10.50	"
George W. Tucker .....	100.00	2.75	2.00	2.50	3.25	"
Mary S. Cogswell .....	100.00	2.75	2.00	2.50	3.25	"
Chas. Bowman .....	50.00	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	"
Georgianna Patterson .....	200.00	8.00	3.00	5.00	10.00	"
Elizabeth P. Gove .....	200.00	11.00	2.00	5.00	14.00	"
Margaret Douglass .....	100.00	3.00	2.00	2.50	3.50	"
Mary Marsh .....	100.00	3.00	2.00	2.50	3.50	"
E. C. & L. I. Black .....	100.00	3.00	2.00	2.50	3.50	"
C. & J. H. George .....	100.00	3.00	2.00	2.50	3.50	"
E. & E. Hemphill .....	100.00	3.00	2.00	2.50	3.50	"
Joshua Darling .....	100.00	2.75	2.00	2.50	3.25	"
Moses J. Brown .....	100.00	3.00	2.00	2.50	3.50	"
Wallace Family .....	150.00	5.75	3.00	2.50	3.50	"
William H. Gilmore .....	50.00	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	"
J. Willis Plummer .....	100.00	2.50	2.00	2.50	3.00	"
William Osborne .....	50.00	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	"
Levi Colby Family .....	50.00	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	"
Jessie M. Fisher .....	500.00	19.25	5.00	12.50	26.75	"
Julia A. Lewis .....	200.00	7.00	3.00	5.00	9.00	"
Ed. & Nellie Hemphill .....	200.00	2.50	2.00	5.00	5.50	"
Lucy S. Connor .....	200.00	8.00	2.00	5.00	11.00	Goss
Levi S. Connor .....	100.00	2.75	2.00	2.50	3.25	"

## DETAILED TABLE OF CEMETERY TRUSTS (Cont'd)

Name of Fund	Principal	Available for care 1948	Spent in 1948	Annual Income	Available for care 1949	Location of Lot
John M. Chase .....	100.00	2.75	2.00	2.50	3.25	"
George W. Plummer .....	100.00	8.00	2.00	5.00	11.00	Plum.
Cowdry fund .....	50.00	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	"
Ira Plummer .....	50.00	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	"
Parker P. Patch .....	80.26	2.00	1.00	2.00	3.00	"
Betsey Flanders .....	100.00	2.75	2.00	2.50	3.25	"
Almus W. Morse .....	200.00	7.00	3.00	5.00	9.00	"
Addie I. Stevens .....	700.00	30.50	5.00	17.50	43.00	"
George H. Dodge .....	75.00	1.87	1.87	1.88	1.88	"
James H. Flanders .....	50.00	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	"
Grant Brown .....	50.00	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	"
Willis G. Buxton .....	300.00	17.50	9.00	7.50	16.00	Friends
	\$16,895.29	\$488.81	\$371.56	\$422.42	\$539.67	

## REPORT OF H. B. PRESTON

Treasurer, Henniker Cemetery Association

On Account Straw Fund

For the Year Ending December 31, 1948

*Receipts*

Jan. 1, 1948, cash on hand .....	\$	18.33	
Trustees Trust Funds, 1948 income from J. & H. F. Straw Fund		558.29	
Withdrew from Hillsboro Savings Bank, Book No. 11476 .....		223.48	
	—————	\$	800.10

*Payments*

E. H. Jameson, repairs .....	\$	9.10	
F. F. Leaf, repairing mowers .....		13.00	
Collector, Internal Revenue, with- holding tax .....		32.30	
Mrs. E. W. Coombs, flowers .....		49.00	
For labor .....		475.75	
Service charge on checks .....		3.90	
Dec. 31, 1948, cash on hand .....		217.05	
	—————	\$	800.10

## Summary of Payments 1948

For Labor .....	\$ 475.75
Flowers .....	49.00
Withholding Tax .....	32.30
Repairs .....	22.10
Service charge on checks .....	3.90
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	\$ 583.05

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of Harry B. Preston, Treasurer of the Cemetery Ass'n., Straw Fund, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

FORREST W. DOWLIN  
LESTER E. CONNOR  
ALFRED L. FRENCH

*Auditors*

Henniker, N. H., Feb. 8, 1949



## REPORT OF TUCKER FREE LIBRARY

For the Year Ending December 31, 1948

Number of vols. on shelves at beginning of year	12,484
Number of vols. added by gift and purchase ..	201
Total .....	12,685

## Fines

Collected for the year .....	\$ 39.39
Circulation is as follows — Juvenile .....	3,408
Fiction .....	9,558
Solid .....	2,911
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Magazines .....	3,968
Total .....	19,845

The Library has about thirty magazines and news papers for the reading room and for circulation.

## Gifts

Presented by Mrs. Alice T. Flanders in memory of Miss Abbie R. Flanders — "The Great Answer". A book by Margaret Lee Runbeck.

Miss Florence M. Bissell of Middletown, R. I. — presented several books and extended the subscription of the magazine "Our Dumb Animals" another year for the children's room.

Mr. Mason Spring — Book.

Miss Nancy Hardy — 2 books.

Miss Nadine Kilburn — Book.

Mrs. Joseph Cox — Book.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Annis — magazines — Sports  
Afield.

Miss Sylvia Allen — Book — "Dulcimer Street" also  
the magazines "New York" and "American Forests".

Mr. Leon O. Cooper — six numbers of Colliers to  
replace lost ones.

Mrs. Odetta French — a year's copies of the "Holiday"  
magazine.

Jean Shipman — "Dr. and Mrs. Lange" — The maga-  
zine "Fortune" for one year.

Anna and Alice Condos, of Concord, N. H. (daugh-  
ters of Grace Flanders Condos) — Book "The Herdsman"  
by Wilson.

The Henniker Woman's Club — Eisenhower's book  
— "Crusade in Europe".

Mrs. John Marston — a copy of the "Franklin Fifth  
Reader".

Mrs. A. D. Huntoon presented C. A. Lindberg's book  
and one of Willa Cather's and John G. Winant's last book.

From the "Huntoon Fund", Gathering Storm, Chur-  
chill.

American Antique Furniture — 2 vols.

Memoirs of Cordell Hull — 2 vols. Radio — "Fifth  
Estate", by Waller; "Presidents on Parade".

Mr. Harry B. Preston, presented thirteen books in all  
including "The Running of the Tide", by Forbes; "Peony"  
by Pearl Buck.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry T. Garland and family, gave the book "Bishop's Mantle" in memory of Mr. Charles P. Farrar.

Mrs. Mary (Bowles) Peaslee of Franklin, N. H., presented the "The Book of New England", in memory of her cousin Mr. C. P. Farrar.

Mr. Frank E. Marble of West Concord, Mass., sent in a book of the Town records dated November, 1825. This book contains records kept by Paage Eaton, who was a justice of the Peace with authority to try court cases and perform marriage ceremonies, many interesting decisions and judgements are recorded here.

Mr. J. H. Rice of Manchester, N. H., sent in by Mrs. L. D. Cox, two books: one is the "Key to Uncle Tom's Cabin" by H. B. Stowe.; the other, "Acts of the Anti-slavery Apostles" written by Parker Pillsbury.

In this book is recorded the strong element of Pro-slavery which existed in this State and even in this town and churches, where anti-slavery was not tolerated or permitted to be advocated in the pulpit.

Mr. David Cogswell and wife placed in the library an Italian doll purchased in Naples, for two cigarettes, by David while in the service.

There may be other gifts which I have omitted to mention, but we are grateful for them just the same and we take this opportunity of thanking every one for all kindnesses and courtesies.

Library work is interesting and varied: First duty on opening is to change the dating stamp, failure to do this is disastrous as any one experienced in the work can tell you. Then the magazines are put in condition for circulation with the proper cards, etc.

New books are classified, — facing slips and labels added, then catalogued and accessioned, the cards later filed in the proper files then after the library stamp has been applied the books are ready for circulation. Then like the busy housewife, there is always the mending to be done, repairing of books and magazines. Then the questions to be answered, many puzzling and amusing, for instance a little tot came in and was anxiously looking at the dishes in the case in the Historical Room, when asked what she wanted she her mother wanted the Custard Cup, but she did not know which one that was.

Being sent home with the book "Custard Cup" by Livingstone, she still looked puzzled feeling sure we were mistaken in thinking that was what her mother really wanted. We could write pages of interesting anecdotes about library life, and we love it all. Ask my very faithful assistants and see if they do not agree, or better still come in and work a while with us.

The librarian enjoyed a two weeks vacation in April, during this time the library was closed, owing to the illness of the Assistant Mrs. Garland, who later recovered and is now able to assist again.

Mrs. Frank Leaf very kindly helped out during her convalescence.

Respectfully submitted

FANNIE W. BENNETT

*Librarian*

MARION C. GARLAND

*Assistant Librarian*

VIOLA C. LEAF

*Substitute Assistant Librarian*

P. S. We would like to call to the attention of the patrons, voters and tax-payers the fact that the library is in need of re-decorating inside, also that another stack is needed in the stack room to hold the increasing number of books.

# FINANCIAL REPORT OF H. B. PRESTON TREASURER OF TUCKER FREE LIBRARY

For the Year Ending December 31, 1948

## *Receipts*

Jan. 1, 1948, cash on hand .....	\$ 677.90
Town Treasurer, town appropriation .....	235.00
Trustees Trust Funds, income for the year:	
Tucker Fund .....	728.08
D. W. and E. L. Cogswell fund, 10% .....	100.00
L. A. Cogswell, library fund .....	147.68
A. D. Huntoon, memorial fund .....	25.15
N. E. College for books lost .....	7.50
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	\$ 1,921.31

## *Payments*

H. R. Huntting Co., books .....	\$ 204.33
Jean Karr & Co., books .....	56.76
Public Service of N. H. ....	65.52
Contoocook Valley Tel. Co. ....	31.72
F. A. Peaslee, janitor and cash advanced .....	305.97
H. L. Holmes & Son, fuel oil .....	326.62
Fannie W. Bennett, librarian .....	450.00
Cogswell Spring Water Works, water rent ....	19.00
H. W. Wilson, magazine sub. ....	14.00
National Geographic, magazine sub. ....	4.25
Keene Book Shop, supplies .....	2.25
Atlantic Monthly Co., sub. ....	5.00
Loring, Short & Harmon, books .....	5.80
G. C. Wilkins, cleaner .....	53.00
Roy Knapton, labor and paint stock .....	146.75
F. L. Chase, paint stock .....	6.52
Ruth C. Maxwell, subscription to Courier .....	3.00
D. A. Maxwell, supplies .....	4.00

Gaylord Bros, supplies .....	10.15
H. Goldburger, magazine sub. ....	65.00
Dec. 31, 1948, cash on hand .....	141.67
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	\$ 1,921.31

#### Summary of Payments in 1948

New books .....	\$ 266.89
Electric lights .....	65.52
Librarian's salary .....	450.00
Janitor's service and cash advanced .....	305.97
Telephone service .....	31.72
Newspapers and magazine subscriptions .....	91.25
Supplies .....	16.40
Repairs .....	153.27
New equipment .....	53.00
Water rent .....	19.00
Fuel oil .....	326.62
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	\$1,779.64

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of Harry B. Preston, Treasurer of the Tucker Free Library, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

FORREST W. DOWLIN  
ALFRED L. FRENCH  
LESTER E. CONNOR

*Auditors*

# FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

## *Receipts*

Cash on hand, January 1, 1948 ....	\$ 5,820.91
Hydrant Rental .....	1,179.00
Water Rents .....	6,135.91
Refund on water services .....	379.75
Refund from thawing .....	417.39
Refund on Gas .....	47.33
	<hr/> \$13,980.29

## *Disbursements*

National State Capital Bank, Bonds	\$ 3,000.00
National State Capital Bk, Interest	840.00
Hillsborough National Bk, Interest	200.00
Hillsborough National Bank, Note	500.00
Aetna Engineering Co. ....	1,824.00
Howard E. Bailey .....	449.00
Public Service Co., Power & Lights	910.13
Public Service Co., Thawing .....	271.86
Thomas A. Hope, Land .....	400.00
Page Belting Co. ....	248.55
Pierce Perry Co. ....	353.99
Builders Providence Inc. ....	318.72
Bay State Artesian Co. ....	139.27
William E. Bedders .....	201.45
Malmcolm McCornish .....	167.00
Maple St. Garage .....	149.29
Cohen Machinery Co. ....	54.00
N. H. Explosive Co. ....	66.70
Henniker Machine Co. ....	36.33
H. L. Holmes & Son .....	55.35

Barry Patenaude .....	52.12
Merle Patenaude .....	42.00
Joseph Brzozouski .....	117.39
E. H. Jameson .....	214.03
William H. Carr, Prepaid Items ....	41.54
George E. Hall .....	38.20
Henniker Battery Co. ....	6.16
Edward Damour Postage .....	20.00
South Western Ex. Co. ....	17.40
Messenger Publishing Co. ....	8.07
W. L. Childs Bank Expense .....	5.15
Lester Farrar .....	296.66
Oliver D. Daniels .....	1,383.10
Elberton Farrar .....	16.75
Carl W. Rowe .....	8.40
Maxwell Press .....	6.00
Merrimack Farmers Exchange .....	17.70
Clarence Edmunds .....	47.75
Ayer Brothers .....	18.75
Grover C. Annis .....	2.00
Oliver Parker .....	9.60
Concord Water Works .....	10.50
George Colby .....	10.50
Esso Gas Station .....	8.55
Robert E. Smith .....	27.60
Norman Dennis .....	26.00
Oliver D. Daniels, Commissioner ..	25.00
Clarence W. Edmunds .....	25.00
William L. Childs, Treasurer .....	25.00
William H. Carr, Comm. & Coll. ....	125.00
	<hr/> \$12,837.56
Balance on hand .....	\$ 1,142.73

### Outstanding Bonds and Notes

Town of Henniker, Bonds .....	\$53,000.00
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Town of Henniker, Notes .....	9,500.00
Total .....	\$62,500.00

WILLIAM H. CARR  
OLIVER D. DANIELS  
CLARENCE W. EDMUNDS  
*Water Commissioners*

## Collectors' Report for 1948

Water rent to be collected January 1, 1948 ....	\$ 3,615.68	
Collected to July 1, 1948 .....	\$ 3,120.60	
Uncollected July 1, 1948 .....	495.08	3,615.68
Water rent to be collected July 1, 1948 .....	\$ 3,644.33	
Collected to January 1, 1949 .....	3,015.31	
Uncollected January 1, 1949 .....	629.02	3,644.33

## Cogswell Spring Water Works 1948

Equipment .....	766.00	
Supplies .....	745.49	
Tools .....	75.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,586.49

## TREASURER'S REPORT

## Cogswell Spring Water Works

Jan. 1, 1948, cash on hand .....	\$ 5,820.91
<i>Received:</i>	
William H. Carr, collector, water rents .....	6,135.91
William H. Carr, collector, hydrant rental ....	1,179.00
William H. Carr, collector, use of thawing machine .....	417.39
William H. Carr, collector, refund on gas ....	47.33
William H. Carr, collector, refund water service .....	379.75
Total receipts .....	<hr/> \$13,980.29
Paid by order of Water Commissioner ....	12,837.56
Dec. 31, 1948, cash on hand .....	<hr/> \$ 1,142.73

Respectfully submitted

WILLIAM L. CHILDS

*Treasurer*

## AUDITORS' REPORT

February 8, 1949

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Henniker, hereby certify that we have examined the books and accounts of the Selectmen, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, Agent for Memorial Day Appropriation, Agent of Town Highways, Henniker Public Health Association, Justice of the Municipal Court, Treasurer of Tucker Free Library, Board of Trustees of Trust Funds including Securities as tabulated in the report, and deposits in Savings Banks and National Banks, Collector of Water Rents, and Clerk and Treasurer of Water Commissioners, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

FORREST W. DOWLIN,  
ALFRED L. FRENCH,  
LESTER E. CONNOR,

*Auditors*

## SCHOOL WARRANT

The State of New Hampshire

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Henniker qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Cogswell High School Auditorium in said district on the 8th day of March, 1949, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

9. To see if the district will vote to elect its district officers by an official ballot, and to adopt the provisions of sections 112 to 120 of chapter 34 of the Revised Laws as inserted by chapter 22, Laws of 1943, the non-partisan ballot system.

Given under our hands at said Henniker, this 31st day of January, 1949.

J. PHILIP CHASE,  
DOROTHY G. GOSS,  
MERLE R. PATENAUDE,

*School Board*

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Members of the School Board of Henniker District.

During the year 1947-1948 the following teachers were employed:

SCHOOL	TEACHER	TRAINING	YEAR
High	Roberts B. Edwards, Headmaster	Springfield	1924
	Gordon L. French, Science	Dartmouth	1946
	Mrs. Rubena L. Durkee, French		
	Mrs. Ruth H. Lievens, Domestic Arts	U. N. H.	1941
	Miss Olive Marshall, Mathematics	P. T. C.	1939
	Charles Easton		
Junior High	Emlin Pitfield	K. T. C.	
Central	Mrs. Evelyn H. Beane, Prin. Grs. 5-6	K. N. S.	1918
	Mrs. Evelyn T. Norton, Grs. 3-4	K. N. S.	1924
	Miss Annie L. Knaption, Gr. 2	K. T. C.	1944
	Miss Elizabeth A. Thomas, Gr. 1	K. T. C.	1944
Quaker Street	Mrs. Minnie V. Smith, Grs. 1-8	Castle- ton & K. N. S.	Sum- mer Ses- sions
Music	Mrs. Mildred S. Porter		

## General Statistics

	H. S.	7-8	5-6	3-4	Grades	2	1	Q. St.	Total	Total
								1947-48	1946-47	
Half days in session .....	350	350	350	350	350	350	350	360	352 2-7	353 5-7
Half days lost .....	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	0	7 5-7	6 2-7
No. pupils registered .....	65	32	41	39	23	27	20	247	238	
Average membership .....	60.56	28.14	36.40	35.13	19.22	22.32	18.39	220.93	222.67	
Percent attendance .....	96.66	97.30	90.67	93.45	93.18	98.15	97.	95.58	96.11	
Number tardinesses .....	91	93	13	16	11	12	9	246	173	
Average tardiness per pupil .....	1.38	3.22	.35	.45	.57	.54	.45	1.69	.7	
No. visits Superintendent .....	90	32	32	14	17	20	10	213	198	
No. visits School Board .....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
No. visits Citizens .....	0	44	47	40	22	27	11	191	64	



The Superintendent's report, by its very nature, should deal with the present school year and the new school year which starts in July, 1949. It should also attempt to present the possible problems in the next ten years and the possible means of meeting these problems.

The supply of high school teachers is fairly good in a few fields. In other fields, it is just as bad as ever. The supply of elementary teachers will be even worse than last year, with no relief in sight for the next four or five years. The only solution that I can see is a system of recruiting on a local, state, and national level. In one of our towns we are trying the experiment of giving two very fine high school seniors, an opportunity to get some work experience in the grade school. We certainly should make an effort to get some of our outstanding high school graduates to enter the teaching profession.

The tendency in the next ten years will be a gradually increasing school enrollment which are coming worries for superintendents and school boards all over the country. In the elementary school the situation is not so desperate as in many of my other towns. There is an opportunity to convert rooms into classrooms in the elementary building.

There is one situation which the people of Henniker should face. At the present time there are fourteen children at the Quaker Street School, while one teacher at the Central School has over forty in her class. This is hardly a fair division of teacher load. Moreover, the children in the seventh grade should be having the advantage of the more varied program possible in the Junior High School group. There is no question that either this year or next, that the State Department will refuse to approve the Quaker Street School.

Although I have never been approached by any one of the groups, I know that there has been much talk locally about the use of the gymnasium. In general the building should be used to the fullest extent possible. No group has

the legal or moral right to deprive the High School youngsters to carry on their full program. On the other hand, I see no reason why New England College should not use the gymnasium providing that it does not interfere with the school program, that a fair share of the cost is paid, that it is used properly, and that other organizations of the community are not deprived of their right to use the Gym.

The high school is not in the same fortunate position as far as meeting increased enrollment as the elementary school. The school is reaching its capacity. There are twenty-nine pupils in grades nine and ten, while in grades seven and eight there are forty-nine pupils which will mean at least an increase of fifteen pupils. Some interest in this area is being shown in the cooperative school movement. Probably some member of the Henniker board will be asked to participate with a committee in this area.

The Cogswell Fund Committee has been very cooperative in aiding needed renovations in the High School. New showers have been added for the girls, the ceiling of the gymnasium has been insulated and a new stoker installed in the High School. The Board also installed a stoker in the elementary school. This coming summer the Board is planning to replace the toilets in the elementary building also paint the building.

I have enjoyed my work in Henniker and appreciate the cooperative spirit of all concerned. It has been very pleasant meeting the different parents at the P.T.A. meetings. This group is doing a fine piece of work and all people who are interested in the Henniker schools should make an effort to attend these meetings.

WILLIAM C. STERLING,  
*Superintendent of Schools*

## GRADUATES

June, 1948

Peter H. Beane	Jean F. Holmes
Marilyn N. Clement	Robert A. Maxwell
Marilyn A. Davison	Emma L. Nudd
Ellen E. Doon	Scott E. Parmenter
Donald R. Goss	

## PERFECT ATTENDANCE

One Year

Jean Holmes	Dorothy Ryan
Arlene Fisher	Jo Anne Byers
Janet Holmes	Mildred Davison
Janice Maxwell	Joyce Clement
Grace Philibert	Patricia Hathaway
William Maillette	Joseph Robertson
Joyce Robertson	Wayne Patenaude
Isabelle Day	

## TREASURER'S REPORT

## Henniker School District

July 1, 1947, cash on hand .....	\$ 50.39
<i>Received from School Board</i>	
Federal Funds, Agriculture .....	1,058.17
Federal Funds, Home Economics .....	345.53
Check No. 434 lost and payment stopped .....	6.72
State, State Aid .....	11,571.33
1947 Dog Tax .....	335.03
L. A. Cogswell Memorial School Fund .....	400.00
Reimbursement for Hot Lunch Program .....	694.12
Rent of Gymnasium .....	365.00
Supplies sold .....	13.74
Refund .....	3.71
1947 School Appropriation .....	29,912.00
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Total receipts .....	44,755.74
Paid by order of School Board .....	44,390.82
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June 30, 1948, cash on hand .....	364.92

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM L. CHILDS,  
*Treasurer*

## Treasurer's Report

## L. A. COGSWELL MEMORIAL SCHOOL FUND

July 1, 1947, cash on hand ..... \$ 344.67

*Received:*

Trustees of Town Trust Funds .....	500.00
For repairs to shower baths .....	400.00
School Board rent of gymnasium .....	75.00

Total receipts .....	\$ 1,319.67
Paid by order of School Board .....	1,015.70

June 30, 1948, cash on hand ..... \$ 303.97

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM L. CHILDS,

*Treasurer*

Treasurer's Report  
Cogswell School Fund

July 1, 1947, cash on hand ..... \$ 21.06

*Received:*

Trustees of Town Trust Funds ..... 781.63

Total receipts ..... \$ 802.69

Paid by order of School Board ..... 703.90

June 30, 1948, cash on hand ..... \$ 98.79

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM L. CHILDS,  
*Treasurer*

George H. Dodge School Fund

Treasurer's Report

July 1, 1947, cash on hand ..... \$ 29.21

*Received:*

Trustees of Town Trust Funds ..... 21.26

Interest ..... .52

Total receipts ..... \$ 50.99

Paid by order of School Board ..... 21.00

June 30, 1948, cash on hand ..... \$ 29.99

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM L. CHILDS,  
*Treasurer*

## Total School Expenses from July 1, 1947

To June 30, 1948

	Total	High	Elementary
1. Administration	\$ 1,423.98		
2. Teachers' Salaries	24,334.95	10,549.85	13,785.10
3. Textbooks	608.94	316.96	291.98
4. Scholars' Supplies	1,235.42	664.77	570.65
5. Other Expenses of Instruction	598.33	449.29	149.04
6. Janitors' Salaries	3,253.70	1,209.85	2,043.85
7. Fuel	1,935.70	781.17	1,154.53
8. Water, Light and Janitors' Supplies	1,069.35	554.95	514.40
9. Minor Repairs and Expenses	2,854.02	826.62	2,027.40
10. Health Supervision	306.00	135.00	171.00
11. Transportation	4,148.95		4,148.95
12. Tuition	36.00		36.00
13. Other Special Activities	31.42	26.85	4.57
14. Teachers' Retirement	602.50		
15. State of N. H. Per Capita Tax	474.00		
16. Insurance	330.38		
17. New Equipment	1,925.55		
18. Hot Lunch Program	941.23		
Totals .....	\$46,110.42	\$15,515.31	\$24,897.47

## Administration

State of New Hampshire .....	\$ 153.60
Helen Scribner, expense .....	7.40

William L. Childs, bank charges ....	3.85	
Evelyn Beane, School census .....	10.00	
Brown & Saltmarsh, supplies .....	94.09	
Edson Eastman Co., supplies .....	17.98	
School Service Co., supplies .....	8.50	
William C. Sterling, supplies .....	50.43	
A. H. Rice Co., supplies .....	2.45	
John Sinclair, expenses .....	6.31	
H. S. Kinsman, supplies .....	12.66	
J. L. Hammett, supplies .....	1.66	
Coolidge & Edmunds, supplies .....	.50	
Maxwell Press, supplies .....	20.00	
N. H. School Boards Ass'n, dues ..	5.00	
Mayflower Press, supplies .....	6.50	
Henniker Pharmacy, supplies .....	1.32	
Contoocook Valley Tel. Co., telephone .....	69.78	
	<hr/>	\$ 472.03

## Salaries of District Officers

William L. Childs .....	75.00	
Merle R. Patenaude .....	75.00	
J. Philip Chase .....	50.00	
Margaret S. Carnes .....	150.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 350.00
J. Charles Williams, Superintendent's excess salary \$	400.00	
J. Charles Williams, salary of Supt's secretary .....	200.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 600.00

*Paid from D. W. & E. L. Cogswell Fund:*

Wm. L. Childs, bank charges .....	.95	
<i>Paid from L. A. Cogswell Fund:</i>		
Wm. L. Childs, bank charges .....	1.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,423.98



## Teachers' Salaries

Roberts B. Edwards .....	\$ 3,000.00
Emlen Pitfield .....	2,500.00
Gordon French .....	2,400.00
Rubena Durkee .....	1,920.00
Olive Marshall .....	2,000.00
Ruth Lievens .....	2,000.00
Mildred Porter .....	650.00
Evelyn H. Beane .....	2,050.00
Evelyn T. Norton .....	2,000.00
Annie L. Knapton .....	2,000.00
Elizabeth A. Thomas .....	2,000.00
Minnie V. Smith .....	1,700.00
Anna L. Childs .....	12.00
Doris Coen .....	16.00
Charles Easton .....	80.00
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	\$24,328.00

## Textbooks

Ginn & Co. ....	151.71
Scott, Foreman Co. ....	88.13
John C. Winston .....	8.36
Webster Publishing Co. ....	7.31
McCormack Mathers Publishing Co. ....	15.71
American Book Co. ....	26.94
Allyn & Bacon .....	36.16
D. C. Heath Co. ....	50.05
Houghton Mifflin Co. ....	10.00
International Textbook Co. ....	18.57
Macmillan Co. ....	20.11
Wm. C. Sterling .....	24.17
Warner-Dowling Co. ....	23.76
Phillips Paper Co. ....	7.69
American Education Press .....	.60
J. P. Lippincott Co. ....	14.89

L. W. Singer Co., Inc. ....	34.95
Harcourt Brace & Co. ....	10.20
Iroquois Publishing Co. ....	9.94
Appleton Century Crafts Co. ....	25.01
Coolidge & Edmunds ....	6.77
Lyons & Carnahan ....	2.00
Auto Electric Service Co. ....	12.66
Sterling's ....	1.25
Radio Service Lab. ....	2.00
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	\$ 608.94

### Scholars' Supplies

American Book Company ....	27.48
Edward E. Babb Co. ....	40.68
Ginn & Co. ....	24.51
Hamilton Publishing Company ....	17.64
J. L. Hammett Co. ....	37.20
Macmillan Co. ....	21.23
Charles E. Merrill Co., Inc. ....	10.75
F. A. Owen Publishing Co. ....	2.00
Scott, Foresman Co. ....	92.13
Webster Publishing Co. ....	19.36
Henry S. Wolkins Co. ....	142.40
F. L. Chase ....	14.68
F. E. Compton & Co. ....	91.05
Phillips Paper Co. ....	13.46
Warner-Dowling Co. ....	164.15
World Book Company ....	7.03
American Education Press Inc. ....	43.20
Houghton Mifflin Co. ....	5.83
Coolidge & Edmunds ....	11.65
Brodhead-Garrett Co. ....	7.95
Barry W. Patenaude ....	17.71
Evans Radio ....	97.93
Sears Roebuck & Co. ....	24.20
Bruce Publishing Co. ....	6.91

Oxford Book Company .....	6.12
Pioneer Office Appliance Co. ....	2.84
Western Avenue Garage .....	3.59
Solem Machine Company .....	10.81
Canvas Products Corp'n .....	19.20
William C. Sterling .....	8.57
Henniker High School (cash advanced) .....	39.89
Perkins, Bassett & Wright .....	4.31
Radio Service Laboratory .....	3.10
M. S. Perkins Machine Co. ....	5.08
N. E. Electric Supply Co. ....	.69
Richard P. Smart .....	78.00
Kendrick & Sons .....	20.16
Charles E. Merrill Co., Inc. ....	1.72
Central Scientific Co. ....	8.32
C. W. Rowe .....	39.52
Chase's Market .....	4.88
Henniker Pharmacy .....	6.50
Spencer Hardware Company .....	2.50
N. H. Welding Supply Company .....	4.82
Edmunds Department Store .....	4.12
Knowlton, Stone .....	27.30
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	\$ 1,235.42

#### Other Expenses of Instruction

Henniker Pharmacy .....	35.03
F. A. Owen Publishing Co. ....	3.00
Wm. Mitchell, Travelling expense .....	55.50
C. C. Beedle Piano Company .....	7.01
D. C. Heath Company .....	1.80
Macmillan Company .....	20.51
M. N. Perkins Co. ....	19.49
Emlen Pitfield, cash advanced .....	27.29
Crafts Gas & Electric Supply Co. ....	32.75
Hamilton Publishing Co. ....	1.72
Motor Book Department .....	4.92

Frank Lead .....	5.75
Sterling's Esso Station .....	9.60
C. C. Birchard .....	72.38
Ginn & Co. ....	42.65
Industrial Press .....	5.60
J. P. Lippincott Co. ....	15.53
Scott, Foresman Co. ....	4.47
Shawnee Press, Inc. ....	.40
University of N. H. ....	5.21
John C. Winston Co. ....	2.77
Martin & Murray Co., Inc. ....	15.40
World Book Co. ....	1.57
F. L. Chase .....	10.57
Sears, Roebuck & Co. ....	22.57
Henniker Machine Co. ....	1.50
Knowlton & Stone Co. ....	39.95
A. J. Ryan .....	3.85
A. S. Tracy .....	24.00
N. H. Welding Supply Co. ....	10.08
Dunlap Photo Service .....	19.20
Chase's Market .....	22.61
A. H. Rice Co. ....	1.50
Ruth Lievens .....	13.40
South Dakota Press .....	19.18
Concord Fabric Shop .....	16.41
Radio Service Laboratory .....	3.16
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	\$ 598.33

#### Janitors' Salaries

Grover C. Annis .....	545.70
Richard P. McLeod .....	1,266.00
John B. Bishopric .....	1,225.74
Lester W. Carnes .....	166.26
Hazel Davison .....	50.00
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	\$ 3,253.70

## Fuel

Merrimack Farmers Exchange, Inc., coal .....	\$ 1,825.75
Louis Davison, wood .....	72.00
Barry W. Patenaude, slabs .....	24.00
J. B. Bishopric, putting in wood .....	2.25
Elwin Palmer, trucking coal .....	3.70
Thomas E. Fisher, trucking slabs .....	6.00
J. Philip Chase, trucking slabs .....	2.00
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	\$ 1,935.70

## Water, Lights &amp; Janitors' Supplies

West Disinfecting Co. ....	\$ 141.12
Cogswell Water Works, water .....	150.00
Leon K. Stearns .....	60.00
Du-Ev Products Co. ....	14.61
Clark Koehline, Inc. ....	8.35
Henniker Pharmacy .....	2.35
Warren Refining & Chemical Co. ....	18.00
C. B. Dolge Co. ....	29.44
Public Service Co. of N. H., lights .....	494.66
F. L. Chase .....	103.02
Coolidge & Edmunds .....	27.91
Chase's Market .....	19.89
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	\$ 1,069.35

## Minor Repairs and Expenses

Hillsboro Laundry, cleaning drapes .....	26.00
West Disinfecting Co. ....	31.80
Southwestern N. H. Express .....	28.27
Hillsboro General Store, paint .....	5.17
Edgar F. Richardson, painting .....	94.85
Donat Damour, plastering .....	49.37
H. F. Caldwell, painting .....	301.40

Arthur Hall, cleaning toilets .....	10.00
F. E. Compton Co. ....	7.45
Concord Plumbing & Hardware Co., fluorescent lights .....	656.62
B. J. Bishopric .....	293.94
W. Elwood French, installing fluorescent lights	248.40
Du-Ev Products Co. ....	164.60
B. W. Patenaude, lumber .....	65.61
E. E. Farrar, trucking to dump .....	39.25
L. H. Carpenter, repairing clock .....	2.50
Albert P. Pratt, shades .....	38.86
Roby Wood, carpenter work .....	60.50
Merrimack Farmers Exchange .....	2.85
Bernard F. Hall, wiring .....	7.05
C. B. Dolge Co. ....	142.51
Thomas E. Fisher, trucking and gym floor ....	12.40
N. E. Electric Supply Co. ....	5.88
Kathleen Fisher, gym floor .....	12.80
Public Service Co. of N. H. ....	70.60
H. L. Holmes & Son, oil .....	48.43
Howard N. Chase, tuning piano .....	5.00
F. L. Chase .....	234.38
Coolidge & Edmunds .....	152.85
Chase's Market .....	34.68
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	\$ 2,854.02

#### Health Supervision

Henniker Public Health Ass'n. ....	\$ 200.00
Dr. Francis Brown, examination of pupils .....	106.00
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	\$ 306.00

#### Transportation

Leonard P. Buxton .....	\$ 1,496.00
Warren D. White .....	884.75

Warren Frank Hooper .....	1,022.00
Minnie V. Smith .....	393.00
Robert Smith .....	147.00
Doris Morse .....	150.00
Allen Morse .....	49.50
Robert Morse .....	1.00
Stephen C. Bennett .....	5.70
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	\$ 4,148.95

### Tuition

Weare School District .....	36.00
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### Other Special Activities

Sterling's Esso Station, gasoline .....	\$ 1.75
Martha Twiss, attending conference .....	8.00
University of N. H., movies .....	1.72
H. L. Holmes & Son, oil for hot water for showers .....	19.95
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	\$ 31.42

### Insurance

H. L. Holmes & Son, treasurer's bond .....	5.00
H. L. Holmes & Son, insurance on school property .....	325.38
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	\$ 330.38

### New Equipment

J. L. Hammett Co. ....	\$ 5.00
E. E. Babb Co., call bells .....	3.38
Page Belting Co., shower parts .....	104.05
Donat Damour, work on showers .....	111.88

Manchester Supply Co., shower heads .....	13.40
H. F. Caldwell, work on showers .....	11.55
Broadhead-Garrett Co., shop equipment .....	39.16
Spencer Hardware Co., shop equipment .....	20.97
B. J. Bishopric, work on showers & hot water .....	375.99
Perkins, Bassett & Wright, shop equipment ....	33.22
Radio Service Laboratory, shop equipment ....	51.36
R. B. Edwards, cash advanced for shop equip- ment .....	10.00
Sears, Roebuck & Co., shop equipment .....	154.81
Scott, Foresman & Co. ....	3.21
N. H. Trade Schools, shop equipment .....	51.44
Merrimack Farmers Exchange, Inc., electric stove .....	184.71
Motor Car Supply Company, shop equipment .....	52.77
Atlas Press Co., shop equipment .....	8.11
Joseph Weidenhoff, Inc., shop equipment .....	6.50
Merrimack Farmers Exchange, Inc., vacuum cleaner .....	62.96
Broadhead-Garrett, combination locks for lockers .....	121.50
Bioscope Mfg. Co., bioscope and lamps .....	91.36
N. H. Trade Schools, kitchen equipment .....	1.48
Singer Sewing Machine Co., bobbins .....	1.80
E. Pitfield, cash advanced for shop equipment .....	4.94
Cogswell Fund, cash for showers .....	400.00
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	\$ 1,925.55

## Inventory of School Property

	Buildings	Equipment
Memorial .....	\$90,000.00	\$20,250.00
Central .....	18,000.00	2,250.00
Quaker .....	300.00	200.00



## Auditors' Report

We, the undersigned, have examined the accounts of Margaret S. Carnes, secretary of the School Board, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

FORREST W. DOWLIN,  
LESTER E. CONNOR,  
ALFRED L. FRENCH,

*Auditors*

## Orders Drawn For School Expenses

From July 1, 1948 to January 1, 1949

General Fund .....	\$20,418.11
D. W. & E. L. Cogswell Fund .....	1,015.40
L. A. Cogswell Fund .....	639.12

## SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1949-50

## School District of Henniker

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1949.

## Detailed Statement of Expenditures

Teachers' Salaries .....	\$29,400.00
Text Books .....	700.00
Scholars' Supplies .....	1,200.00
Other Expenses of Instruction .....	250.00
Janitor Service .....	2,800.00
Fuel .....	1,800.00
Water, Light and Janitors' Supplies .....	1,200.00
Minor Repairs and Expenses .....	1,400.00
Health Supervision	
(Medical Inspection) .....	400.00
Transportation of Pupils .....	5,000.00
Payment of Elementary Tuition ....	100.00
Other Special Activities .....	350.00
New Equipment .....	2,000.00
Additional Improvements .....	1,000.00
Other Obligations imposed by law or established by district deficit .....	1,000.00
	<hr/> \$48,600.00

*Other Statutory Requirements:*

Salaries of District Officers (Fixed by District) .....	400.00
Superintendent's Salary, Town's share .....	700.00
Superintendent's Secretary's Salary	

(Fixed by Supervisory Union)	300.00	
Per Capita Tax (Report of State Treasurer) .....	500.00	
Teachers' Retirement Fund .....	\$ 1,000.00	
Insurance .....	350.00	
Expense of Administration .....	300.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,550.00
Total amount required to meet School Board's Budget .....		\$52,150.00

#### Estimated Income of District

Balance, June 30, 1948 .....	None	
State Aid (December 1949 allot- ment) (Estimate) .....	11,571.33	
Dog Tax (Estimate) .....	150.00	
Income from Trust Funds (Estimate) .....	1,280.00	
Other Estimated Income .....	300.00	
	<hr/>	\$13,301.33
Assessment required to balance School Board's Budget .....		\$38,848.67

J. PHILIP CHASE  
DOROTHY G. GOSS,  
M. R. PATENAUDE,  
*School Board*

Henniker, N. H., January 27, 1949.

# Births Registered in the Town of Henniker for the Year Ending December 31, 1948

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents
1947					
Dec. 23	Concord	Dale Paul	Leon E. Clement	Yvette Lachance	Henniker
1948					
Jan. 9	Concord	Richard Elmer Jr.	Richard E. Senecal	Mildred Gallagher	Henniker
Jan. 16	Concord	Lavonda Marie	Lester L. Durgin	Ursol R. Meade	Henniker
Jan. 21	Henniker	Betty Louise	Harold F. Chase	Alice E. Calkins	E. Washington Hillsboro
Jan. 23	Henniker	Larry Craig	Harry B. Smith	Mildred M. Davis	Henniker
Feb. 25	Manchester	Mary Beatrice	Roger A. Kunz	June R. McLaughlin	Henniker
Feb. 29	Concord	Larry Richard	Cecil H. Wright	Alice M. Gagnon	Henniker
Mar. 17	Concord	Martha Joyce	Erving B. Smith	Alice M. Robertson	Henniker
Mar. 17	Concord	Donna Elaine	Victor H. Kjellman	Mary C. Fuller	Henniker
Mar. 20	Concord	Robert Lee	James A. Fisher	Irene L. Damour	Henniker
Apr. 6	Concord	Diane Elizabeth	Reginald L. Horno	Rita M. St. Louis	Henniker
Apr. 11	Henniker	Donna Evelyn	Chester J. Jordan	Vera E. Hardy	Hillsboro
Apr. 13	Henniker	Bruce Stephen	Chester J. Jordan	Vera E. Hardy	Hillsboro
Apr. 13	Concord	William Roger	Russell B. Flanders	Geneva Stafford	Henniker
Apr. 25	Henniker	Patricia Mae	Roger W. Stafford	Rita C. Shuttis	Henniker
May 9	Henniker	Edward George Jr.	Alfred H. Olson	Sarah C. Gardner	Hillsboro
May 14	Manchester	Charles Kenneth	Edward G. Shattuck	Winifred M. Chadwick	Deering
May 17	Henniker	Robert Arthur	Bernard L. Young	Therese Damour	Bradford
May 21	Henniker	Sherryll Elaine	Gordon S. Skinner	Ruth G. Day	Henniker
May 26	Henniker	Greer Audrey	Everett W. Magoon	Beatrice Y. Tandy	Henniker
May 30	Manchester	William Louis	Raymond A. Phelps	Leslae M. Pierce	Henniker
June 8	Concord	Lawrence Albert	Grovenor N. Wills	Estelle S. White	Henniker
June 26	Manchester	Mary Elizabeth	Louis J. Damour	Ruth E. Thompson	Henniker
July 5	Concord	James Kenneth	Donat A. Damour	Marguerite Gagnon	Henniker
July 12	Concord	Bonita Louise	Franklin C. Baldwin	Laura M. Nudd	Henniker
July 16	Henniker	Donna Marion	Kenneth L. Crane	Bernadette B. Aucoin	Henniker
July 26	Concord	Charles Joseph	Norman Dennis	Diana M. Jutras	Henniker
Aug. 11	Concord	Steven John	Ronald R. Davison	Celia F. Wilt	Hillsboro
Sep. 26	Concord	Kathleen Ann	George K. Nielsen	Jane A. Connor	Henniker
Sep. 29	Concord	Jean Ann	Donald R. Alger	Lois M. Furbish	Henniker
Oct. 2	Franklin		Robert J. Bishopric	Rita O. Grines	Henniker
Oct. 4			Robert W. Sterling	Excel E. Hall	Henniker
			Arthur H. Lavalley	Muriel E. Benson	Henniker

Oct. 12	Concord	Bonnie	Alfred L. Morse	Florence S. Simpson	Henniker
Oct. 13	Concord	Nyla Dawn	Ernest H. Colby	Marion I. Ryley	Henniker
Oct. 20	Henniker	Rose Nettie	Samuel Lowe	Grace M. Roger	Bradford
Oct. 20	Henniker	Dale Alice	Glendon P. Crane	Josephine A. Gardner	Hillsboro
Oct. 26	Henniker	Lee Marcia	Ernest B. Sweet	Veletta A. Pearson	Hillsboro
Oct. 29	Concord	Baby Girl Barton	Harold E. Barton	Hattie M. Nudd	Henniker
Oct. 29	Concord	Janet Marion	Ellery B. Ayer	Lillian M. Marshall	Henniker
Nov. 18	Henniker	Linda Susan	Bruce E. Chapman	Gloria B. Davis	Henniker
Nov. 27	Concord	Katherine Jean	Philip L. Buxton	Nina C. Stevens	Henniker
Nov. 27	Concord	Susan Gibson	G. Colby Barker	Ruth E. Schofield	Henniker
Nov. 27	Concord	Anne Bennet	G. Colby Barker	Ruth E. Schofield	Henniker
Nov. 30	Concord	Baby Boy Schacht	Richard O. Schacht	Gloria M. Patch	Henniker
Dec. 6	Concord	Dorothy Diane	Lucien L. Forand	Mildred G. Rand	Henniker
Dec. 16	Concord	Verne Elmore	Verne B. Dockham	Edith M. Clark	Henniker
Dec. 20	Concord	Rose Ann	Roland E. Lemire	Evelyn M. Jones	Henniker
Dec. 20	Concord	Carol Elizabeth	George A. Boucher	Elizabeth F. Barker	Henniker
Dec. 25	Henniker	Richard Michael	Frederick C. Kulbacki	Alice O. Normandin	Deering

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES H. TUCKER, Town Clerk

# Marriages Registered in the Town of Henniker for the Year Ending December 31, 1948

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at time of Marriage	Age No.	Place of Birth of Each	Name of Parents of each	Name, Residence, Official Station of Person by Whom Married
Jan. 17	Ralph E. Currier	Henniker	26 1	Henniker	William Currier Rosie Townes	Marshall Derby Justice of Peace Hillsboro
Hillsboro	Marjorie L. Lambert	Hillsboro	29 2	Hillsboro	John Lambert Valida York	
Mar. 11	Arthur Starr	Henniker	60 2	Vermont	George Starr Lucy Marshall	Mark Strickland Clergyman Manchester
Manchester	Trace M. Kriester	Henniker	42 2	Henniker	Nathan Farley Alice Barry	
Mar. 27	Phillips Byfield Jr.	Andover, Mass.	27 1	Newton, Mass.	Phillips Byfield Alice Washburn	Robert Lewis Clergyman Henniker
Henniker	Priscilla D. Cox	Henniker	22 1	Syracuse, N. Y.	Laurie Cox Gretchen Sanborn	
April 15	Albert A. Moody	Henniker	26 1	Sutton	Arden Moody Edna Wilson	Kenneth Bunker Minister Warner
Warner	Harriett I. Neyer	Henniker	33 3	Plympton, Mass	Ray Keith Florence Howatt	
May 2	Andrew T. Yousko	Philadelphia, Pa.	22 1	New York, N. Y.	Andrew Yousko Hilda Micka	Howard Blanchard Minister Contoocook
Contoocook	Cora E. Perry	Henniker	24 1	Hopkinton	Charles Perry Clady's Reals	
May 3	Rene J. Clairmont	Laconia	24 1	Laconia	Arthur Clairmont Fvelyn Zimmerman	Paul McDonough R. C. Priest Lakeport
Lakeport	Mary I. Cole	Henniker	21 1	Unity	Perley Cole Angie Bean	
May 9	Verne B. Dockham.	Hopkinton	24 1	Hopkinton	Forrest Dockham Vera Bleicher	Millard Webster Clergyman Hopkinton
Hopkinton	Edith M. Clark	Henniker	16 1	Hopkinton	James Clark Lilla Drowns	
June 6	Raymond A. Seward	Bellows Falls, Vt.	32 2	Walpole	Alfred Seward Ethel Converse	Earle Fellows Minister Goffstown
Henniker	Evelyn G. Clark	Springfield, Vt.	39 2	Henniker	Elwin Gammell Mabel Huntington	
June 16	Frank L. Chase	Henniker	70 2	Sutton	George Chase Allie Collins	Robert Lewis Clergyman Henniker
Henniker	Blanche S. Ward	Henniker	55 2	Townsend, Mass.	Charles Stuckney Clara Stuckney	
July 1	Robert R. Emerson	Henniker	22 1	Rutland, Vt.	Ralph Emerson Anna Bartholomew	Earle Fellows Minister Goffstown
Henniker	Mabel M. Homo	Henniker	19 1	Henniker	Joseph Homo Mabel Davis	

July	25	Ralph I. MacCausland, Jr.	Henniker	21	1	Manchester	Ralph MacCausland	Milo Farmer
Henniker		Marilyn N. Clement	Henniker	18	1	Concord	Grace Morrill	Minister
Sep.	3	Verne L. Bixby	Ludlow, Vt.	20	1	Ludlow, Vt.	Hazel Clement	Concord
Henniker		Robert D. Burnham	Henniker	19	1	Swanton, Vt.	William Bixby	Earle Fellows
Sep.	11	Allen W. Gould	Concord	20	1	Hardwick, Vt.	Esther Merrill	Minister
Henniker		Mary A. Morse	Henniker	18	1	Henniker	Charles Burnham	Goffstown
Sep.	19	Gordon P. Reasoner	Hillsboro	37	1	Wrentham	Edna Vitty	Robert Lewis
Keene		Alice M. Belisle	Henniker	31	2	Fitchburg, Mass.	George D. Gould	Clergyman
Sep.	25	George E. Fisher	Henniker	20	1	Manchester	Ruth Hamilton	Henniker
Henniker		Georgia R. McKay	Henniker	20	1	Grasmere	Arthur Morse	William Sipe
Oct.	23	Frank Ferwerda	Henniker	23	1	Holland	Ruth Sawyer	Clergyman
Henniker		Maria C. Caputo	White Plains, N. Y.	22	1	New York, N. Y.	Earl Reasoner	Keene
Oct.	30	Laurence E. Taylor	Henniker	37	1	W. Hopkinton	Mary Bond	Robert Lewis
Newport		Emma E. Hollings	Henniker	25	2	Fremont	Walter Sturtevant	Clergyman
Nov.	27	Lawrence W. Butler	Henniker	21	1	Brookline	Addie Nason	Henniker
Hillsboro		Katherine L. Ryley	Hillsboro	18	1	Hillsboro	Edward Fisher	Charles Tucker
Dec.	17	Paul A. Jacobson	Henniker	23	1	Malden, Mass.	Blanch Searles	Justice of Peace
Concord		Sylvia L. Friedstein	Roxbury, Mass.	26	1	Winthrop Mass.	George McKay	Henniker
							Leon Gregg	
							Henr Ferwerda	
							Dina Paas	
							Joseph Caputo	
							Jacqueline Russo	
							Howard Taylor	
							Eva Melcher	
							Austin Wiggins, Sr.	
							Heien Porter	
							Jack Butler	
							Gertrude Duchan	
							Malcolm Ryley	
							Florence Gould	
							Max Jacobson	
							Sylvia Kahn	
							Jacob Friedstein	
							Lena Fein	

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# Deaths Registered in the Town of Henniker for the Year Ending December 31, 1948

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Yrs.	Age	Place of Birth	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
1941							
Dec. 13	World War 2 Death	Dexter C. Woodman	21	5	Salem, Mass.	Courtenay Woodman	Elsie Herrick
1942	World War 2 Death	Douglas B. Rush	21	9	Henniker	Albert Rush	Pearl Crafts
June 15	World War 2 Death	Eugene V. Call	32	11	Cabool, Mo.	Will Call	Mabel Pennington
1495	World War 2 Death						
Mar. 2							
1943							
Jan. 16	Concord	Olive S. Patch	83	2	Warner	Nathan Sargent	Harriet Lull
Jan. 21	Concord	Ethel W. Fellows	58	2	Hillsboro	Chs Whitcomb	Josephine Murdough
Jan. 24	Henniker	'Abbie L. Downing	60	28	Islesboro, Me.	..... Smith	Ruth Coombs
Feb. 3	Concord	Ida M. Cote	62	24	Concord	Thomas Woods	Ida Preston
Feb. 19	Henniker	Henry L. Levesque	35	3	Manchester	Leon Levesque	Victoria Bouguais
Feb. 23	Hopkinton	John T. Robertson	61	19	Warner	Chs. Robertson	Hattie Bartlett
Mar. 5	Concord	Abbie R. Flanders	90	7	Henniker	William Flanders	Betsy Noves
Mar. 6	Henniker	Maude C. Palmer	68	6	Merrimack	Alonzo Cushing	Eliza Wilson
Mar. 9	Concord	Nancy F. Nelson	...	1	Concord	Sanley Nelson	Evelyn Annis
Mar. 11	Concord	Maude Powers	59	1	Hillsboro	Michael Murray	Mary Hayes
Mar. 12	Concord	Florence E. Blodgett	67	3	Roxbury, Vt.	James Burnham	Esther Woodward
Mar. 15	Sunapee	Helen C. Brady	51	3	Milton, Vt.	Henry Parker	May Lorin
Mar. 31	Concord	Josephine Philbrick	75	6	Dunbarton	Joseph Lucier	Mary West
Apr. 6	Henniker	Kate M. Childs	92	4	Northland, Vt.	John Gutterson	Frances Stearns
Apr. 21	Henniker	Albert E. Fisk	76	21	Rutland, Vt.	Forrest Fisk	Julia Sawyer
June	Henniker	Mabel A. Flanders	74	7	North Weate	Peleg Thurston	Rachel Paige
June 6	Henniker	Grover C. Barnard	63	1	Dunbarton	Louis Barnard	Lillian Hazeltine
July	Henniker	Letitia N. Colclough	80	4	Canada	George Ewing	Letitia Stevens
Aug. 7	Henniker	Ralph P. Gallagher	28	...	Lowell, Mass.	Robert Gallagher	Annie Bauer
Aug. 10	Weinberg, Gem.	Amos Withnell	80	...			
Aug. 17	Dorchester	Harriet F. Peltier	83	11	Belmont, N. Y.	John Peltier	Lucy New
Aug. 23	Henniker	Linnie H. Burdick	44	7	Salisbury	Elwell Hardy	Lucy Virgin
Sep. 2	Concord	Leon K. Parker	62	10	Henniker	Albert Parker	May Allen
Sep. 16	Henniker	Warren M. Page	63	3	Milford	Horace Page	Lucy Hunt
Sep. 18	New London	Timothy W. Davison	...	...	Concord	Albert Davison	Dorothy Westgate
Sep. 18	Concord		...	...			



Oct. 20	Laonia	Harold Sweatt	21	9	16	Henniker	Benjamin Sweatt	Inez Griffin
Oct. 29	Concord	Baby Girl Barton	.....	.....	.....	Concord	Harold Barton	Hattie Nudd
Nov. 30	Concord	Baby Boy Schacht	.....	.....	.....	Concord	Richard Schacht	Gloria Patch
Dec. 14	Contocook	Walter C. Hooper	61	8	13	New Boston	Thomas Hooper	Minnie Bartlett
Dec. 22	Manchester	Clarissa E. Hicks	72	5	5	Henniker	Seth Bunnell	Helen Eastman
Dec. 25	Hillsboro	Harry M. Farrar	71	5	23	Henniker	George Farrar	Carrie Calby
Dec. 25	Hillsboro	Wallace Murdough	57	9	20	Henniker	Noah Murdough	Almira Colby

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